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TWO HONORARY CONSULTANTS APPOINTED TO LC

Anna Freud has been appointed as the Library's first Honorary Consultant in Sigmund Freud Studies, and Charles E. Feinberg has been reappointed as Honorary Consultant in Walt Whitman Studies. Appointed by the Librarian of Congress, each will serve a three-year term.

Dr. Freud, one of the world's leading and most honored analysts, is the daughter of Sigmund Freud (1856-1939), the founder of psychoanalysis. One of the pioneers in the development of child analysis, she is founder and director of the Hampstead Child Therapy Course and Clinic in London, a center devoted primarily to analysis, research, and the training of psychoanalysts. She is the author of numerous books, of which the most significant in its impact on behavioral science is *Das Ich und die Abwehrmechanismen* (1936), translated in the following year as *The Ego and the Mechanisms of Defence.* Dr. Freud is the recipient of many honorary degrees, including an M.D. from the University of Vienna, and is a Commander of the British Empire and honorary president of the International Psycho-Analytical Association. In 1938 she accompanied her parents to London, where she still lives. Dr. Freud, who celebrated her 80th birthday on December 3, has been one of the principal donors of her father's manuscripts to the Sigmund Freud Collection in the Library of Congress.

Mr. Feinberg has served as Honorary Consultant in Walt Whitman Studies since 1969. Born in London, he was educated in Canada and came to the United States in 1923. One of America's best-known manuscript collectors and bookmen, he is principally responsible for the preeminent collection of Walt Whitman materials at the Library of Congress. In addition to forming the Feinberg-Whitman Collection, Mr. Feinberg has lectured and written extensively about Whitman. He has lived in Detroit for many years. [See LC *Information Bulletin,* December 29, 1972, p. 554.]

The Library has a number of honorary consultants in various fields. They provide counsel on such matters as acquisitions and service to other scholars in their particular specialties.

BEAUX ARTS TRIO TO PLAY AT LC

The Beaux Arts Trio of New York will present a concert of instrumental chamber music on Friday evening, January 9, sponsored by the Elizabeth Sprague Coolidge Foundation in the Library of Congress. The members of this ensemble are Isidore Cohen, violin; Bernard Greenhouse, violoncello; and Menahem Pressler, piano. The ensemble has appeared at the Library many times since its debut 20 years ago. The program will include the following works: Trio in B flat major, K. 502 by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart; Trio in E flat major, Op. 70, No. 2 by Ludwig van Beethoven; and Trio in C major, Op. 87 by Johannes Brahms.

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The concert will begin promptly at 8:30 p.m. in the Coolidge Auditorium of the Library. Tickets will be distributed by Patrick Hayes, 1300 G Street, N.W., beginning at 8:30 a.m., Monday, January 5. A service charge of 25 cents is placed on each ticket, and only two tickets are distributed to an individual. Telephone reservations may be made on Monday morning by calling 393-4463. Mail orders are not accepted.

The concert will be broadcast live and in its entirety by Station WETA-FM, and made available to stations in other cities through the Katie and Walter Louchheim Fund in the Library of Congress.

CARL ZIGROSSER, PRINTS CURATOR, DIES

Carl Zigrosser, curator emeritus of prints and drawings at the Philadelphia Museum of Art, died Wednesday in Montagnola, Switzerland, where he had lived for the last three years. He was 84 years old.

Mr. Zigrosser was a frequent user of the Library's collections, an occasional donor of artists' prints, and a friend of the Library. He wrote a generous and illuminating "Foreword" to *American Prints in the Library of Congress*, and was active in the Print Council of America.

Mr. Zigrosser is survived by his wife, Laura; a daughter, Carola Kavanaugh; and two grandchildren.

STAFF NEWS

RETIREMENT

Kemal Aly Vokopola, senior legal specialist in the European Law Division, Law Library, retired on November 7 after more than 20 years of Library service.

Mr. Vokopola began his career at the Library as a legal analyst in the Mid-European Project of the Foreign Law Division, later the European Law Division. After that project ended in 1960, Mr. Vokopola returned as a legal specialist in the same division, where he covered the Albanian and Italian jurisdictions.

Mr. Vokopola was born in Lushnje, Albania, and was educated there and in Italy. He holds a diploma as a legal practitioner and certificates of specialization in statistics, accounting, and economic sciences. In Albania, he was a freelance writer and an assistant newspaper editor and later a government official in the Ministry of Economy and the Council of Ministers. For a short time in 1941, he was assistant to the High Commissioner for Kossova.

In 1944, Mr. Vokopola escaped to Italy after the establishment of a Communist regime in Albania, and he came to the United States in 1950 on a permanent visa. He became a United States citizen six years later.

Before he joined the Library staff, Mr. Vokopola worked for the Group Health Association and the U.S. Department of Commerce. He was a researcher and writer for the National Committee for a Free Europe and started radio broadcasts to Albania for that group. In June 1953, he received a temporary appointment as a consultant, without compensation, on Albanian materials for the then Slavic and East European Division of the Reference Department. In December 1954, he joined the Mid-European Project.

Mr. Vokopola is the author of numerous studies and articles on Albania and adjacent areas published in Europe and in the United States. He is also coauthor of several works, among them *Tensions Within Communist Albania*, which he prepared in 1954 in cooperation with William A. Coblenz of the then Legislative Reference Service for the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations.

PERSONNEL CHANGES

Appointments

Jon A. Baumgarten has been appointed general counsel of the Copyright Office, effective January 5. He succeeds Dorothy M. Schrader who has resigned from that position.

A native of the New York City area, Mr. Baumgarten received a B.A. degree from the City College of New York. He also holds an LL.B. degree from New York University, where he received individual awards for academic excellence and served as research editor of the *New York University Law Review.*

Since his admission to the Bar in 1968, Mr. Baumgarten has been engaged in the practice of law in New York City, where he dealt with domestic and international copyright matters, including activities relating to the pending bill for the general revision of the copyright law. He has served as chairman of the Subcommittee on International Copyright of the American Bar Association and as associate editor of the *Bulletin of the Copyright Society of the U.S.A.* He is the author of the book entitled *US-USSR Copyright Relations Under the Universal Copyright Convention* (New York: Practising Law Institute, 1973), and has spoken on copyright issues at several professional conferences and seminars.

Appointments: Douglas Bendt, economic analyst, GS-11, CRS E, 1405; Louise Condon, conservator aid, GS-4, Restor, 1221; David Driscoll, personnel staffing and classification specialist, GS-12, Place & Class, 1486, 1077, & 7718; Al Dulaney, bibliographic and editorial assistant, GS-5, DBPH, 1215; William Everett, laborer (general), WG-3, Bldgs, OP 14-100; David Green, library aid, GS-3, Share Cat, 1384; Donna Livingston, clerk-typist, GS-2, Cat Publ, Op 7-500; Tsai-Hong Miller, copyright examiner, GS-9, Cop Exam, 1293; Katherine Preece, editorial assistant, GS-5, CRS E, 1421; June Sherren, editorial assistant, GS-4, CRS SPR, 1421; Robert Shields, library aid, GS-3, Share Cat, 1384.

Temporary Appointment: James Coburn, publications clerk, GS-5, Cop Cat, NP.

Promotions: Reynaldo Aguirre, library technician, GS-6, GR&B, 1253; Harriet Ostroff, section head and cataloging specialist, GS-13, Desc Cat, 1376; Susan Snyder, editor, GS-9, FRD, 1407.

Resignations: Theodore Hatcher, Desc Cat; Janice Mayo, Cat Publ; John Vincent, DBPH; Rachel Young, CRS F.

STAFF ACTIVITIES

Allen F. Agnew, senior specialist in environmental and natural resources policy (mining and mineral resources), has been elected vice president and executive board member of the American Institute of Professional Geologists for 1976. AIPG is an organization of some 2,300 geologists who deal with the applied aspects of the earth sciences—all of which have an effect on the environment. In 1973 and 1974 Mr. Agnew served as editor and executive board member of the AIPG.

Frank Kurt Cylke, chief of the Division for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, addressed graduate students at the School of Library Science, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, on December 2. Mr. Cylke discussed current trends and issues relating to the provisions of library service to the handicapped. On December 3, Mr. Cylke spoke at the Annual Michigan Transcribers Conference. The group discussed braille and tape transcription and the details involved in establishing the Michigan Association of Transcribers for the Visually Impaired. The goal of the new group is to "advance, provide and coordinate volunteer services in the production, distribution, and use of reading materials in braille, tape, and large type."

An essay by **Alan Fern,** chief of the Prints and Photographs Division, is included in *Lasansky: Printmaker,* a catalogue raisonné just published by the University of Iowa Press.

Arnold J. Jacobius, field director of the Library's Shared Cataloging Center in Wiesbaden, Germany, spoke on November 14 to a group of students at the Bibliotheksschule des Landes Hessen (Library School of the State of Hesse) at the University of Frankfurt. Mr. Jacobius' lecture on the National Program for Acquisition and Cataloging was followed by an hour-long question-and-answer period.

Bruce E. Langdon, assistant executive officer, Congressional Research Service, and **Shirley Loo,** head of the Subject Specialization Section, Library Services Division, CRS, are joint authors of the article "Selective Dissemination of Information to Congress: The Congressional Research Service SDI Service" which appeared in the Fall 1975 issue of *Library Resources & Technical Services.* The article describes the SDI service which was developed to provide bibliographic control for public policy literature to meet the needs of Congress.

Marlene C. McGuirl, chief, American-British Law Division, was selected by the Women's Bar Association to receive community recognition for her outstanding contribution to the advancement of human rights. Mrs. McGuirl was one of 22 persons honored at the Human Rights Day Community Luncheon on December 10. Mrs. McGuirl was cited for her work with prisoners at the Lorton Correction Complex, D.C. Jail, and the Women's Detention Center. She has been involved in planning law library facilities and has also taught legal research to the prisoners. The event was coordinated by the Capital Area Division of the United Nations Association of the U.S.A.

Donald A. Wise, Geography and Map Division, is the author of an article on "George Washington's Four Mile Run Tract," which appeared in the October issue of *The Arlington Historical Magazine.* The article describes Washington's purchase of two land grants adjacent to Four Mile Run in northern Virginia and his attempts on four occasions to survey the land.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The **WRA Choral Society** will sponsor a Middle East folk dance group at 11:45 a.m., Monday, January 12, in the Coolidge Auditorium. Library employees are cordially invited to attend this unique "Dabkeh" folk dance with its colorful native costumes and authentic Middle East music.

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS PUBLICATIONS

Accessions List: Eastern Africa. ISSN 0090-371X. Vol. 8, No. 5. September 1975. (pp. 111-157). Continuing subscriptions free to libraries upon request to the Field Director, Library of Congress Office, P.O. Box 30598, Nairobi, Kenya.

Accessions List: Middle East. ISSN 0041-7769. Vol. 13, No. 9 & 10. September & October 1975. (pp. 261-317). Continuing subscriptions free to libraries upon request to the Acting Field Director, Library of Congress Office, American Embassy, Cairo, Arab Republic of Egypt.

Accessions List: Pakistan. ISSN 0041-777. Vol. 14, No. 8 & 9. August & September 1975. (pp. 205-215). Continuing subscriptions free to libraries upon request to the Field Director, Library of Congress, American Consulate General, Karachi, Pakistan.

New Microfilm Publication: The Library's Photoduplication Service has placed on microfilm the four-volume transcript collection, *Statements of Japanese Officials on World War II.* The collection represents over 500 reports submitted by 264 Japanese officials, including 198 army and 51 naval officers and 15 civilians, in compliance with a request from the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers. These reports were translated between 1947 and 1950 by the Allied Translator and Interpreter Service, Military Intelligence Section, General Staff, Far East Command, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers. The statements from former Japanese officials were kept in the Interrogation Files, G-2 Historical Section, GHQ, FEC in connection with the preparation of official U.S. Army histories of World War II. Some of these statements were cited for the documentation of the *Reports of General MacArthur* by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers (Washington, D.C., Department of the Army, 1966, 2 vol. in 4). These reports are first-hand accounts by Japanese officials involved from the beginning of the Japanese offensive in the Pacific, to the termination of the war, and to the arrival of the first U.S. Occupation Forces in Japan in August 1945.

The statements are arranged alphabetically by name and each volume is prefaced with a list of the statements included, title or rank of the person making the statement, and a short note on the subject of each statement.

The collection is available on two reels of 35mm positive microfilm for $49. An additional 60 cents per reel is required for shipment to other than North American addresses. Orders and inquiries should be addressed to the Library of Congress, Photoduplication Service, Department C-260, Washington, D.C. 20540.

NEWS IN THE LIBRARY WORLD

MESA Meets in Louisville

The Ninth Annual Meeting of the Middle East Studies Association (MESA) was held in Louisville, Ky., on November 19-22 in conjunction with the Middle East Librarians Association (MELA).

The regional cooperation of North American institutions housing Middle Eastern collections was the chief topic of the MELA meeting. The question of the establishment of a new NPAC center in either the Near East or Far East was introduced by this reporter with the MELA membership favoring the former.

New officers of MELA were elected during the business meeting. It was also suggested that a National Union Catalog for Middle Eastern serials be established.

Zuhair E. Jwaideh, chief of Near Eastern and African Law Division who participated in both meetings, and Louis Mitler, Descriptive Cataloging Division, who served on the Cataloging Committee of MELA, attended from the Library of Congress.

[Zuhair E. Jwaideh]

Hispanic Writers Convene

The Fifth Oklahoma Conference on Writers of the Hispanic World was held at the University of Oklahoma in Norman on November 20-22. The theme of

the conference was the work of the Argentine writer Julio Cortázar, who with his compatriot Jorge Luis Borges, is considered the most outstanding writer of contemporary Spanish-language fiction. The conference was sponsored by the Department of Modern Languages and *Books Abroad: An International Literary Quarterly*. The host of the conference was Ivar Ivask, the editor of *Books Abroad*, and a scholar in comparative literature.

In a pre-conference session on November 20, Mr. Cortázar lectured on "Politics and the Intellectual in Latin America." The first formal session on November 21 began with welcoming remarks by Mr. Ivask, followed immediately by a session entitled "Lying to Athena: Cortázar and the Art of Fiction" by the noted translator of Spanish and Portuguese literature and scholar Gregory Rabassa.

The second session by Evelyn Picon Garfield was on "Cortázar a continuación . . . con una diferencia," followed by "An Erotics of Liberation: Notes on Transgressive Behavior in *Rayuela* and *Libro de Manuel*" by Margery Safir. The last session of the day was devoted to a paper by Saúl Sosnowsky on "Viejo perseguidores/nuevos perseguidores."

Subsequent sessions presented papers on "Horacio Oliveira: un shaman frustrado," by Helmy Giacoman, who also showed colorful visual aids; by Roberto González Echevarría, a contributing editor of the *Handbook of Latin American Studies*, on "*Los Reyes:* Cortázar's Mythology of Writing"; and on "El hombre nuevo y la mujer ¿que?" by Martha Paley de Francescato. The last session was a panel discussion with panelists Malva E. Filer and Ana María Hernández discussing the elements of the fantastic in the writings of Cortázar and chairman Jaime Alazraki.

Following a dinner for Mr. Cortázar, the guest of honor read in Spanish from *Historia de cronopios y de famas*, a series of humorous short stories, which were then translated into English by Mr. Rabassa. More than 300 persons, who had come from all over the country—especially from the Mid- and Southwest—to hear Cortázar's lecture during the period of November 10-22, attended the reading.

This reporter interviewed Mr. Cortázar on his works and on contemporary Latin American literature and also recorded the writer reading from his work for the Library of Congress Archive of Hispanic Literature on Tape, through the cooperation of Donna Murphy of the Media Center of the University of Oklahoma.

Two receptions during the conference sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Ivask allowed all the participants, as well as students from all over the country who had traveled to hear Mr. Cortázar, the opportunity to meet the writer. [*Georgette M. Dorn*]

CETA Group Holds Conference

The CETA (Chinese-English Translation Assistance) Group, an inter-governmental/academic organization formed in May 1971 for the improvement of language capabilities needed for communication with China, conducted a Plenary Conference on December 1 at the Foreign Service Institute, Department of State. About 75 China specialist and translators attended the meeting.

During the morning session, the reports were devoted to CETA's activities and programs during the past year. Robert Dunn, cochairman of the CETA Language Committee, which is responsible for determining and maintaining the linguistic and lexical standards of the massive two-volume computer-based CETA Chinese-English Dictionary, reported on the committee's deliberations and activities during the past year. The afternoon session focused on priorities, problems, and opportunities for meeting future needs of Chinese-English translation.

Attending the meeting from the Library of Congress were Warren Tsuneishi, chief, Orientalia Division, and Edward Leung, Federal Research Division. Edwin G. Beal, a former staff member and an Honorary Consultant in East Asian Bibliography, also attended.

All inquiries concerning the work of the group should be addressed to Jim Mathias, Executive Secretary of CETA, 9811 Connecticut Ave., Kensington, Md. 20795. [*Robert Dunn*]

Council of National Library Associations Meets

The winter meeting of the Council of National Library Associations was held in New York City on Friday, December 5.

An important activity of the council at present is its effort to present to Congress the views of the library community on the proposed revision of the Copyright Law, especially its definition of fair use in the matter of photoreproduction of copyrighted material. Julius Marke, law librarian of New York University and acting dean of its Law School, and Frank E. McKenna, executive director of the Special Library Association, who serve as cochairman of the council's ad hoc Committee on Copyright, reported on the mixed success of their contacts with the Congressional Judiciary Subcommittees and on the various informal attempts to arrive at a compromise with publishers' representatives.

John Corrigan, editor of *Catholic Library World* and chairman of the Committee on Prison Libraries, reveiwed the new standards for adult libraries in state and Federal correctional institutions prepared by a joint committee of the American Library Association and the American Correctional Association. Among other things, it requires a library of at least 12,000 books or five books per resident, whichever is larger.

As sponsor of the Z-39 Committee of the American National Standards Institute, which prepares various library standards, the Council received a report on the activities of that committee. One of the recent standards published covers the romanization of Hebrew.

Alice D. Ball, executive director of the United States Book Exchange, a project originally suggested by the Council, reported on its forthcoming change of name to Universal Serials and Book Exchange to reflect the true nature of its service and to avoid the impression that it is a government operation. At the same time the initials by which it is popularly known, U.S.B.E., will not change.

Sally Prakken of the *Bowker Annual* previewed the contents of the new volume. Every effort is being made to keep the information about the officers of the various library associations up-to-date, but the editors depend on the cooperation of the organization concerned to achieve this goal. Theodore Wiener, cataloger of Judaica, Subject Cataloging Division, Library of Congress, attended the meeting as a councillor of the Association of Jewish Libraries. [*Theodore Wiener*]

COMING EVENTS

The theme of the **Colorado Media Convention** in 1976 will be Heritage and Horizon—A Look at the Future Through the Past. The meeting, to be held February 19-21 in Colorado Springs, is cosponsored by the Colorado Audiovisual Association and the Colorado Association of School Librarians. The Colorado Audiovisual Association is located at 7055 E. 18th Ave., Denver, Colo. 80220, tel. (303) 394-6905.

The **Information Science and Automation Division** of ALA, together with the Library of Congress, will sponsor a three-day institute on Processing and Automation at the Library of Congress on March 10-12, at the Library and at the Old Town Holiday Inn in Alexandria, Va. Registration information is available from Donald P. Hammer, Executive Secretary, Information Science and Automation Division, ALA, 50 E. Huron St., Chicago, Ill. 60611, tel. (312) 944-6780.

The University of Minnesota Library School, together with the Minneapolis Public Library and Information Center, will sponsor an institute on The Mythic Image: Mythology, Folklore, and Libraries on April 1-2. Harris C. McClaskey, associate professor at the Library School, is coordinator of the institute, which is intended primarily for librarians and educators. The application deadline is March 1. Further information is available from Joan Leigh, Assistant to the Director, Library School, 419 Walter Library, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn. 55455.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rockefeller University has announced the opening of the **Rockefeller Archive Center** at Hillcrest, Pocantico Hills, North Tarrytown, N.Y. 10591, tel. (914) 631-4505. The center will be the depository for the archives of the Rockefeller University, the Rockefeller Foundation, the Rockefeller Brothers Fund, and the Rockefeller family. Scholars interested in these research materials should address their inquiries to the center. The center has also announced that the records of the General Education Board, previously opened for research for the years before 1942, have now been opened through 1954.

The **Center for Southern Folklore** has moved to a new address, 1216 Peabody Ave., P.O. Box 4081, Memphis, Tenn. 38104, tel. (901) 522-9433.

Correction: The announcement of the Annual Meeting of the Manuscript Society in the November 28, 1975 issue of the LC *Information Bulletin* (p. 474) carried erroneous information about this year's meeting. The Annual Meeting will be held in Philadelphia on September 9-12. Further information on the conference will be available after February 1, from Howard A. Applegate, Balch Institute, 18 S. Seventh St., Philadelphia, Pa. 19106.

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